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PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL -Joseph Chamberlain is considered to bear a striking resemblance to Edwin Booth.

-The wife of Senator Ingails is said to be a hard political student, despite the cares of a large and growing

-- "Jermantfakturbolagsforsjalningsmagagin" in Swedish means in English, "The Iron Manufacturing company's sale shop."

-The Prince of Naples who has just some of age, has received the order of the Golden Fleece from the Emperor of Austria and the Black Eagle from the German Emperor. It is suggested that, in view of the close friendship between Italy and England, he ought to be invested with the Garter.

---··Van," the favorite shepherd dog of the late Henry Ward Beecher, lived for years at the Peeksill residence, the pet dog of the family. This beautiful animal, with his shaggy coat, liquid, laughing brown eyes, and the sunniest kind of a dog disposition, left the Beecher mansion soon after his mas-ter's death to live with a kind-hearted neighboring family. Nothing will in duce the dog to return to his former home since the master left it.

-There are three ministers in the House of Representatives. Judges Stewart of Georgia, and Cheadle, of Indiana, are ex-preachers, but the new Congressman from New Hampshire, Rev. Mr. McKinney, has been in the Universalist pulpit during his whole active career. He is the first Democratic Congressman from New Hampshire in ten years. Oddly enough, the last Democratic Representative from that state was I rank Jones, the brewer

-The Princess of Wales' favorite flower is the wild and peculiarly fragrant lily of the valley, which is found in large, irregular patches in Wolferton Woods. Norfolk. These woods are all that remain of a primeval forest, and are full of romance and beauty. The lilacs are gathered in great bunches, their snowy bells protected by their own cool, green leaves, packed in light, wicker hampers, and sent to the Marlborough House, where the Princess herself arranges them for the

-According to its family statutes, no member of the House of Hohenzollern is to undergo an operation that is dangerous to life, save on the battle-field or under like urgent circumstances, without the formal consent of the King of Prussia for the time being and his Ministry of State. This is the reason of the State Council which was held at Berlin to consider the case of the Crown Prince, at which the Prince Regent of Brunswick and the Grand Duke of Baden were present, Count Stolber, Wernigerode; Minister of the Household, presiding. The Emperor William and Prince Bismarck have, of course, requested the Crown Prince to act as he

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

-The Thistle is "For Sale." She will get no Vounteer to buy her, as when she was for sail, she let the Volunteer go by her. Next!-Folio. -"I leave Paris to-day; what can I

buy as a memento?" asked a tourist of a friend. "How would a Paris leave atton dol' was the reply.-Tewas Siftings.

-Magistrate- If I discharge you this time, Uncle Rastus, what will you do?" Uncle Rastus-"Well, yo' honar. ef yo' discha'ges me, I spect I'll go off.' -Harper's Bazar.

-Old man (looking out of the window)-What is that Nero is shaking with his teeth?" Daughter-"Heavens, papa, it looks like a piece of young Mr. Sampson's trouserst' -N. Y. Sun.

-Too Bad, Ain't It?-The mother-in-law and toothache
Are painful in the jaw,
But Fate has willed it that you can
Not pull your mother-in-law.

— Washington Critic.

-Old Lady (coming to New York)-Conductor, there ain't going to be a collision, I hope?" Conductor—"I hope not." Old Lady—"I want you to be very keerful. I've got four dozen eggs in this basket."-N. Y. Age. -A particular old gentleman, pull-

ing some thing out of his soup that should not have been included among the other ingredients, thus addressed his cook: "Josephine, I am much obliged for your thoughtfulness, but next time kindly give it to me in a locket."

-"Once when I was in danger from a Jersey bull," said he, "I sat down and stared him full in the face." How did it answer?" queried the breathless bystanders. Excellent! The Jersey didn't offer to touch me. "Very remarkable, very curious. How do you account for it?" "Well, sometimes I've thought it was because I sat down on the top branch of a very tall tree," said be.

-An artist who has lately returned from study in Paris declares that in art, as in many other branches of knowledge, instruction can be obtained in this country as satisfactorily as abroad. The Parisian studios are most unpleasant places for work, much crowded and filled with unventilated air that is almost insupportable. Criticism from the best professors is the same in both countries.

-Robinson-"How did Dasher get along with his California land speculation?" Jones-"Oh, first rate. He bought a ranch near Los Angeles for \$20,000 and sold it next day for \$10. 000." Robinson-"Well, I don't call that doing first rate." Jones-'Oh, you don't know Dasher. He's a Napoleon he is. He bought on thirty days' credit and sold for each and got out of the country before they got on to his methods."-Detroit Free Press.

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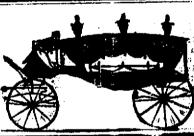
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The sub committee of the House com mittee on post offices and post road, agreed to reno tievo they the bill by Mi. Andorson et Kars s to compet the Pa citle railron's teler rah lines to afford all telegraph companes equal facilities for the transmister of bisiness, and giving the lat t State Commerce Commission authority to enforce the law The committee has practically decided to report advisely the bill extending the free delve system to all towns containing less than ten thousand inhabi

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The Tax on Spirits and Fermented Liquids

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Mr Mitchell and he did not care to what Mr Mitchell said he did not the built was to be remembered that the judicity committee had bundered in this ratter that the Thur man act was a complete full recondition that the judicity committee his been unsuccessful in its efforts to regulate this matter. Mr Thurman defende that there is act, and larged that they have been a formed to the full that it is motion.

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Death of the Author of "Saratogs Chips New York, Jan wo—Prof Nathan R
Sheppard, of barato, n, fied of apoplexy
yesterday He was a key-five years of
age. He was a well-mown fecturer and
author of various one, including "Shut
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A Murderer Sutrenders. LEXINGTON, Ky, Jan 25-Thomas O'Brien, who s tot and killed Henry Metoalf Jr. Saturday night, surrendered himself to the police antionities this afternoon.

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FOREIGN NEWS.

A United Tory Cabinet --- Sullivan's Latest Banter to Jem Smith.

Evicted for Rejoicing---Cardinal Manning and the Pope---Snubbed---Failed to Make a Loan.

Terrible Explosion of Gunpowder-Desperate Factional Fights in Bulgaria

England

A UNITED CABINET. LONDON, Jan 25 .- M1 Henry Matthews, Iome Secretary, in an address to his Birmingham constituents last evening, said there had never been a cabinet more united than the present one. The next session of Parliament, he said, would be devoted entirely to business, in which freland would take second place The local government bill to be introduced at the nning of the session would be broad

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LONDON, Jan 25 — Mr John Dillon, in papean at Cambridge yesterday evening, declared that the coercion policy of the government was an alject failure. His only fear was not that the national spirit would be guarched by coarcion, but that would be quenched by coercion, but that the last chance of knitting the hearts of he rarely sees his wife. the English and Irish people would pass without being se yal SULLIVAN'S LATIST BANTER

LONDON, Jan 25 —The Daily News says that John L Suilivan offers to deposit one hundred pounds maned ately to bind a match with Jem bouth, the amount to be forfeited to Smith in case Sullivar should be beaten by Mitchell WILL TEST THE MATTER

LONDON, Jan 25 - The council of the Liberal Federation decided yesterday to contest the legality of the government? arrest of Mr Cox in London Ireland

DUBLIN, Jan 25 - The civilians residing upon the island upon which is situated Fort Westmoreland, in Queens town harbor, having made bondres of tar barrels to calebrate the release of Mr O'Brien from I bilamore jail, the government has decided upon their eviction, and orders will be issued for then ejectmen forthwith THE ARREST OF MR COX

London, Jan. 25 - the Irish press it teeming with nitries on the arrest of Mr Cox, the papers almost without exception holding that the Clare member's appre-hension in London was illegal

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ble uprising in Bulvar a is predicted as the result of the intil ues of the Russian agents, who are said to have done their work thoroughly and with great secrecy, and the dute of the outbrook is believe to be not far away

LORD RANDOLPH AND LADY CHURCHILL. BERLIN Jan 2; —Count Herbe t Bis marck met Lo d Rando'ph Caurchill las evening at a dinne: given in honor of the latter at the Buttern Embassy It is stated that the Emperor expressed great admiration for Lady Churchill, whom he saw at the opera last night. BERLIN, Jan. 26 -- I ord and Lady Ban-dolph Churchill will romain here unti Friday Lord Rand Jph will probably

visit Prince Bismaick to-day or to mor Australia. CENTENNIA ("EBRATION.
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New York, Jan 2)—the latest green goods victim is Ash by it Perkins, of Lancaster, S. t., who paid tem. Rigers, of this city, \$400 for an alread \$4,000 worth of good i they Datestron were on the waich and arristed be his Rogers and Perkins vesteriar, as the bunke that was nutting his cus oner on a sharp was putting his ensomer on a train for home with the usual false value. Starving Ind and Threaten Violence
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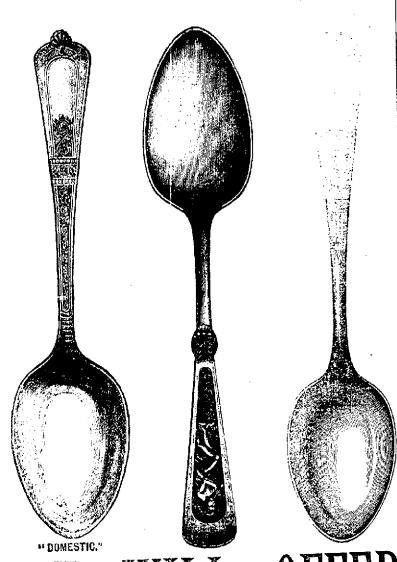
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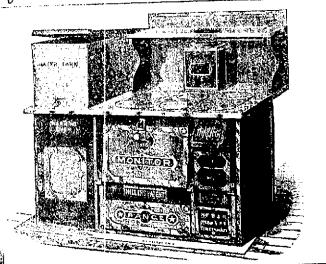
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Attention, Everybody! To the working public and all persons who are unable to get down town except in the evenings: Peake & Son will look to your interest by keeping open their Jewelry Store every evening until 8:30 p.m. If your Watches, Clocks and Jewelry need repairing bring them to us and we will give first-class work and at resonable prices. Also have a full and complete line of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry need repairing bring them to us and we will give first-class work and at resonable prices. Also have a full and complete line of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. Jawelry. J. I. Peaks & Son, Jewelre, 138 Merchant street. Open Every Night. 1200 1887-1855-32

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COFFEES, PRINCESS TEA,

Pillsbury's Best Flour, BOOTH OYSTERS,

Quaker City Preserves, 4-X Maple Syrup, Pennsylvania Buckwheat, Extra German Soap,

DINGES & CLOYD'S.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JAN. 25, 1888.

LOCAL NEWS.

For dinner and tea sets, go to E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s. BILL NYE coming Feb. 14. 21-dtd Unless more snow falls all engage ients for sleighrides will have to be de clared off. Poor girls.

SEE the trained horses every night. Matince to-morrow afternoon.

Buy choice supplies for the table at Knode & Osborne's family grocery store. DAVID MARTIN discusses "trusts" and the (ariff question in another column. Buy reliable groceries at Niedermeyer's

METALIC WEATHER STRIP, the only rictly reliable article, at Abel's.

FACTORY men and citizens continue to complain because the railways do so knife as he knocked Westbrook down. much switching within the city limits. C. B. PRESCOTT has a great display of standard musical instruments, including

the celebrated Haines Bros.' pianos. Tax Clymer's roller process for the hair. One trial will convince the most difficult to please. Call and see me, under Cheap Charley's. 25-dlw

THE place to get fresh Baltimore oysters in bulk or by the can, is at J. Lytle & Co.'s grocery store. THE Council of the Charity Organiza-

tion Society will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. It is important that there should be a full attendance.

You can get the best shave in the city at R. E. Roland & Bro.'s under Hotel D. F. HAMSHER is disposing of his cut-

ters at low prices to close out the entire THE Dudley school house near Hamnond was destroyed by fire this week,

together with contents; cause of fire un-Don't forget the South Water street

ccers, Hands & Patterson, keep a specialty of extra fine California fruits. READ Cheap Charley's adv't d&wtf Save money by purchasing family gro-

ceries at Moore Bros.' store in opera J. W. CLYMER's barber shop under Cheap Charley's. Warm room, plenty of hot water, clean towels, and nothing in my line can you call for that I haven't

W. H. SHORB never fails to fill all or ders for coal and wood promptly. His elephone number is 55.

SELECT one of those Round Oak stoves at Lytle & Eckles' store. You will like

TELL your grocer to send you the celebrated White Foam flour, made by Hat-

flald & Co. Getting Ready.

The Grand Army men at the state capital are getting ready for the state G. A. R. encampment to be had there Feb. 15 and 16. The first doing there will be a musical and literary entertainment in the state house. The town is to be decorated in great shape. The committee on programme is Dr. Bartlett, Col. D. J. Block and Ed. A. Wood.

From Philadelphia, Pa.-I am selling more of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup than all other cough remedies combined, and the demand is increasing. B. J. TOBOLDT,

Druggist, 257 S. Second street. "THERE's such divinity doth hedge king that treason" fears to touch him. But rheumatism is no respecter of per-

sons, and Royalty would do well to patronize Salvation Oil, the great pain cure. Attention, Everybody!

Corsets are more than we can handle profitably, and we propose to make a hole in this excessive stock by offering them at Reduced Prices. We will sell a first-class One Dollar Corset at 75 cents; Seventy-five Cent Corset at 50 cents; Fifty Cent Corset at - 40 cents.

OHEAP STORE. Big 18.

No Change of Cars to California. Palace Sleeping Cars will run through to Cali-ornia without change via the Wabash Railway, t. Louis and the St. L., I. M. & S. R'y, leaving Toledo on train No. 45 at 12:10 a. m. February 16th. No show blockades via the Great Southern Route. Secure your sleeping car berths early. Tickets for sale at greatly reduced rates, good

Texas Excursions. Texas Excursions.

On January 25th and February 8th, 1888, the St. Louis and San Francisco Railway, "Frisco Line," will sell excursion tickets from the Union Depot, St. Louis, Blissouri, to Hoaston, Austin, Gaiveston and San Antonio, Fexas, and retairn, at HALF RATES, and in all probability from Decatur, Danville, Parls, Para, Bloomington and other principal towns throughout Illinois and Indiana at proportionate low-rates, Through Pullman Buffet Sleeping Car from 8t Louis. For further information apply in person or by letter to GEO. LOWER, Trav. Land Agent, Decatur, Illinois.

LIGHT-WEIGHT Flannel Shirts, neatly made, perfect fits, elegant shades, well adapted for clerks, book-keepers and husiness men generally, at B. STINE'S.

Coounce Flannel Shirts, in all the latest shades, plaited bosom, perfect in fit, at B. Stine's.

THE MURDER TRIAL.

Witnesses on the Stand Testifyin Against Westbrook-Ricks

Acquitted. TUESDAY, JAN. 25.

The court room was well filled to-day

while the attorneys were selecting a jury

on the Blue Mound murder case, which

last evening. It is the case of the People

vs. William Westbrook, charged with the

murder of William E. Gross, who at the

time he was stabbed was a saloon keeper

at Blue Mound. State's Attorney Vail

is assisted in the prosecution by I. A.

Buckingham. The attorneys for the de-

fendant are I. D. Walker and the Mills

Below are the names of the jurymen

chosen to hear the testimony and return

a verdict: O. B. Seip, Joseph Powell, Adam Seeforth, Michael Cavanaugh,

William Foose, Ed. C. DeHaven, William

Armstrong, B. V. Harlan, Jesse Hanks,

John Shriver, William L. Pierce and

sult of trouble growing out of an alleged

brook. It appears that Gross, who kept

to a minor, and Westbrook had written

Gross a letter offering to keep quiet

about the matter for \$25. It was while

Westbrook, who is an orphan and quite

young in years, was standing near the

depot talking to a railway man, that

Gross came up to him, spoke a few words

and struck Westbrook a blow that

knocked him down. At the time of the

assault Westbrook had a knife in his

hand. In the fall Gross was stabbed in

the left side. He died five days after

from the effects of the wound. West-

prook has since been in fail. The People

charge that Westbrook stabbed Gross

with murderous intent. The defense will

try to show that the wound was acci-

dentally inflicted-that Gross fell on the

JAKE RICKS ACQUITTED.

assault to kill Ben Bristow, was con-

was accordingly discharged. He had

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

ant for a continuance.

People vs. William Bolz; perjury, Defendant

recognized in \$1000 bond, with Charles Lasser as

CHANCERY DOCKET

A Splendid Show.

The equescurriculum and London nov-

eity show at the opera house grows in

exhibition, and it is not surprising that

the whole town is talking about Mr.

Coup's intelligent horses and the amaz-

ing feats of the Elliott family of specialty

artists. The hall was filled again last

night and as on the first evening every-

thing went smoothly, the programme

being given in full. The horses appear

to enjoy the applause and fun. Old and

young alike are captivated by the show,

Going to School.

the children going wild over the funny

business of the pony and donkey, while

antics of Master Tom, the boy clown.

The combination is the greatest novelty

in the horse line that has ever visited

Decatur, and well merits the most liberal

this show. Go yourself and take the

PERSONAL MENTION

Col. J. G. Fish is reported very low.

Scott Siddons will visit Decatur

is quite well known in this commenity.

Ill., to-day to visit her sister.

brief visit.

they clap their hands with delight at the

been in jail nearly a year.

The trial of Jacob Ricks, indicted for

The New Secretary W. T. Evans, bookkeeper at D. S. Shellabarger & Co.'s mill, has been chosen as the new general secretary for the Young Men's Christian Association. He was elected at the meeting of the association executive board held last night, when the special committee submitted the name of Mr. Evans. The selection is a good one, and should Mr. Evans accept this position was called up for trial by Judge Smith of responsibility and trust, the association will have an excellent secretary.

Indicted. William Dustin, late president of the broken bank at Lincoln, has been indicted by the grand jury on nine separate charges of embezzlement. The charge is that Mr. Dustin on the day of the failure admitted depositors at the rear door and allowed them to draw out funds after the front doors had been closed and less favored patrons were looked out. Those who did not get a chance to withdraw their funds that memorable day will enleavor to make it hot for Dustin.

Poker Room Pulled. Last night Officer Butts made a raid on poker room in Commercial block, over The alleged crime was committed on Keck & Weigand's cigar store, and cap-July 2, 1887, at about 9 s. m. at Blue tured a full outfit of gambling appliances-Mound, near the depot, and was the re- poker chips, tables, etc. The officer had to work about an hour before he got into blackmailing scheme on the part of West- the room. There were no occupants of the room. Possibly it was an off night and business light. Efforts will be made the saloon, was accused of selling liquor to learn who bosses the room.

An Elegant Gift.

Mr. W. H. Starr, who was recently elected eminent commander of Beaumanoir Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar, was given a complete surprise last evening at his home on West Main street, the visitors being the brother officers of the commandery and their ladies. Com- Who knows Mrs. Blatz? mander Starr was kept wholly in the dark, and knew nothing whatever of the plans of his friends who had wisely confided the intended visit to Mrs. Starr The company embraced 24 ladies and gentlemen. At an opportune moment, soon after the arrival of the guests, Sir Knight Pinkerton on behalf of the officers, presented Mr. Starr with a beautiful Commander's sword and belt, purchased at Columbus, Ohio. It is of the regulation pattern-Damasous steel with the name of the recipient in full on the blade, cluded in court last evening, the jury ivery handle with W. H. S. in monogram bringing in a verdict of not guilty. Ricks on one side, and an emblem of the order on the other side. The belt is red patent leather with trimmings of gold bullion. Commander Starr received the costly gift The People vs. Henry Trenton; taking female away for immoral purposes. Motion by defendwith expressions of gratitude. No eminent commander in the state has a finer sword and belt. The evening was passed most delightfully, all partaking of a superb supper at about 10 o'clock. The spread was prepared by Mrs. Starr who conclusively demonstrated that she cannot be excelled in providing a model feast. James M. Rucker et al ex parts; partition and dower. Report of sale approved, and stricken

> Progressive Whist. vill entertain their lady friends at the club rooms on Thursday night of this

Sales of Real Estate. John A. Brown to Barbara Bowman Master's deed for the west 10½ acres off

16, 3, \$430.50. George W. Cripe to David Bickenstaff,

Isaac Brown to W. S. Wayts, tract of land in 23, 16, 2, \$1,000.

sub division, \$400. to lot 22, containing seven acres, in the their wives came in and we took another sail John Veech to C. G. Wheeler quitelaim

let 13 in block 1, in H. H. Brown's second sub-division, \$300.

claim to 103.8 acres in 2, 18, 3, \$1. David Martin on "Trusts."

EDS. REPUBLICAN:-Ever since Cleveers. Seventeen years ago a consolidation was entered into, and since then I have had very little trouble in getting good,

Andrew W. Boyer of Walker, and Miss Emma J. Snyder of Oreana; Charles Etherton and Miss Lizzie Harris of De-catur, have been granted marriage li-J. M. Hiatt, of Pana, was in the city yesterday, interviewing local horsemen. Mr. Hiatt is an ex-preacher and is the publisher of a worthy stock journal. Ho James Bristow, afflicted with consump-

still buy of them and can sell at less price than in former years. The Grand Rapids plaster company of Michigan is another instance in which consolidation has been a benefit. Five firms were manufacturing plaster. They formed themtion, has gone to Lower California for the benefit of his health. He is the last surviving child of the late Mrs. Shipselves into one company, which reduced expenses. They made better plaster, sold at less price and at greater profit to the company. I have bought plaster of them for the last 25 years, and am now W. C. Coup finds it pleasant to spend several hours each day in the Republican sanctum. He is a very companionable gentleman. Several years ago he was the partner of P. T. Barbum in the circus retailing it at one-third less than formerly. Every honorable American citizen ought to be willing American manufacturers should prosper, notwithstand-Conductor George Jenkins resumed his run on the Wabash to-day between De-catur and Danville. Other Wabash coning Cleveland tells the farmer with 25 head of sheep that he had better take less price for his wool, for fear he will luctors who have been off duty several have to buy clothing of American manulays will probably resume work in a facturers and pay high prices. The editor Editor Hendricks, of the Niantic Ob-server, was in the city yesterday. He says Niantic is booming and will have a fire department, and paved streets. He predicts that Decatur will never amount to anything as she is too near Niantic. of the Chicago Tribune tries to get up a scare-crow for the farmer by telling him he is taxed for his plowshare. Some of

A Check on the Attorneys. Judge Smith laid down the law for some attorneys in the circuit room this forenoon, ruling on a point of expendi-

ture of the county funds heretofore by custom disregarded. Attorney Lee had made a motion for continuance in a certain case, but had to prepare an affidavit Naturally enough he called upon Clerk McClelian for a sheet of blank paper Neither the clerk nor Sheriff Mauzy had any paper except for their own use, whereupon Mr. Lee got huffy and remarked in effect that things were coming to a pretty pase when an attorney couldn't get a sheet of paper from the county on which to write an affidavit. At this juncture Judge Smith interposed and ruled that the county had no more right to furnish lawyers stationery and ink than it had to provide grocers with wrapping paper, or attorneys with fuel to heat their offices. This ruling caused the attorneys to look about sharply as they realized that it was dollars and cents to them in the course of a year. Mr. Lee had to go down into his pocket for a nickel and send a friend out to a book store for paper. Neither the sheriff nor clerk is authorized by law to supply the attorneys with stationery. In future if the lawyers require supplies in court time they will have to make the pur

chases themselves. Information Wanted.

Some charitable society in Chicago is making inquiries of the society here concerning the relatives of a boy named John Theodore Wiedling, aged 14 years, who says he has an aunt in Decatur, named Mrs. Blatz, and that this aunt, who has a daughter named Lizzie, agreed to take and care for him at the death of his mother, which recently occurred.

THE \$2,221.99 balance in the account of County Clerk Hardy, given in last evening's issue, should have been described as excess of earnings over expenditures for the past year. In the county offices, as the officials well know, it is one thing to earn the fees, and quite different to secure the their payment. Some people having business with the county have way of forgetting to pay their dues un til the sheriff comes around with an execution.

T. T. KENDRICK has turned up in Sangamon county, where Rev. Sherwood pastor of the Sherman Methodist church refused to allow T. T. the use of his puloit to deliver a lecture.

LETTER FROM MR. PHILBROOK.

The Glories of Florida Winter Weather-How Decatur Travelers Enjoy Life. TRABUE, FLA., Jan. 20, 1888.

DECATUR REPUBLICAN:—If you have room for a few words from the land of palm and sand We spent some ten days in Orlando, meetin Comrade Berlin, who feeds the hungry tourist with bread; Bro. Gates, who refurnishes their weary soles, and B. B. Campbell, who as city marshal keeps things down to the required point of order. All seem perfectly sure that Orlando s the place to live winter or summer-especially in summer. The orange orchards and beautiful, clear lakes are the great attraction. Some eighty of these lakes from one to ten miles la ircumference are found in this county—the water supplied from springs and perfectly soft. From Orlando to this place one passes over the ridge of lower Florida and some very pretty country. The country here is more level, but the air seems drier than any other point we have found. We shall stay here at least a month and enjoy all we can of it. The first day we took a sail up to Cleveland and were on the water from John E. Patterson to W. C. Fearn, lot 18 in block 1, in H. H. Brown's second Mrs. P. declares her rheumatism has left her since she came here. The next day A. W. Conklin, D. S. Shellabarger and Wm. Bowers with east half of the southwest quarter of 9, the time. Mr. C. seems to be the sportsman of

6, 3 east, \$265.

Julia S. Brown to John E. Patterson, the party. He borrowed a hook and line of a little boy and "sloshed it around" among a school of ten pound fish but they d Then he borrowed the skipper's rifle and brought down a "nigger goose" making the feathers fly. The party talk of coming back week from to-morrow and joining us in a trip to Cuba. They went on down to St. James yester day accompanied by E. C. Reese, formerly of Decatur, but now of Jacksonville, and who is traveling for a firm of that place. Hunting and fishing are both good at points along the bay In our little sailing trip the day after we cached here it was not an uncommon occurence for a hundred ducks to rise within shoot Decatur party we saw turtle so large that tw nen could ride on their backs through the light sand. Then the ogsters and crabs of all sizes. believe the latter can waltz more different step than the latest "professor." John Teemer, o Pittsburg, the champion rower of the world, with here. Mrs. P. has them at this moment engage in some kind of an Episcopal game, I think it is There is no bank within 50 miles of here, nor

> a great country of possibilities. Please send th AYER'S Sarsaparilla is prescribed and ecommended by eminent physicians, and is taken with perfect safety by old and young. Its cleansing and vitalizing effects are sure and speedy, and it is universally conceded to be the most effective of all blood puriflers.

Mrs. Piper will manage another possum supper to be given at the St. Charles hotel Thursday evening, Jan. 28th. A fine time may be expected.

DR. A. S. WALTZ left Sunday night for Chicago where he will be engaged for three days, operating at clinics in the Chicago dental college. He will practically demonstrate the filling of teeth, before a class. His office will be closed during his absence. i23-4d

WE would like to make the acquaintance of the lady or gentleman who will say that they have used a maple syrup superior to our XXXX.

janl8-dtf Dinges & Cloyd. MARRIED.

By Justice Stevens, at his residence, Tuesday evening, January 24, Charles E. Etherton and Miss Lizzle E. Harris, both of Decatur. DIED.

Of diabetes, at his home, No. 1084 East William street, at 10:15 p. m., January 24, Patrick Master-son, aged 59 years and 8 months. Until recently the deceased was a farmer near Daiton City. He leaves a widow and nine chil-WANTED-Position by a first-class lady

stenographer and typewriter of long ex perience. Reference first-class. Address M. C. this office. 19-d6 Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.: WHEAT 75% Jan; 75% Feb; 76% Mar;

81¼ May. Coan—47¼ Jan; 47¼ Feb; 47% March 52% May. OATS-301/4 Jan; 30 Feb; 301/4 March; 33 May.
PORK—\$13.75 Feb; \$13.85 March;
\$14.17 May.
LAHD—\$7.30 Feb; \$7.37 Mar; \$7.50

May. Rms-87.87½ Feb; 87.45 Mar; 87.62½ LAVE SCORE—LEMINATED RECEIPES—Hoge 17,000; prospects steady. Oattle, 8,000; prospects firm. Oar Lots—Wheat: Winter, 9; Spring, 45; Corn, 180; Oats, 91.

INVENTORY + SALE.

LINN & SCRUGGS, For 10 Days Only.

During the last days of January we will make the following extraordinary offers in HEAVY WOOL GOODS to close before the end of our fiscal year, Feb. 1, 1888.

Our Low-priced Scarlet and White Blankets being closed out during our last week's sale, we now offer the remainder of our 11-4 Fine All Wool Blankets for \$4.65.

REDUCED FROM \$6.50. 80 Pair Blue Gray Wool Blankets, weighing 6

Pounds, at \$2.75, REDUCED FROM \$4.00.

This is the Greatest Bargain ever offered. 25 Pair Gray Blankets 75c a Pair.

\$1.00 18 1.50 " Brown "

Ladies' and Children's SCARLET AND WHITE UNDERWEAR. Ladies' JERSEY UNDERWEAR, in White, Scarlet, Bine and Pluk, Men's Scarlet, Colored and White UNDERWEAR,

Ladies' and Men's GLOYES AND MITTENS, Will be Marked Down for this Special Sale.

We will continue our sale on

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS,

And will offer the remainder of our stock, which is still well assorted in sizes and prices, at prices that will tempt any person in need of a cloak.

AGENTS BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

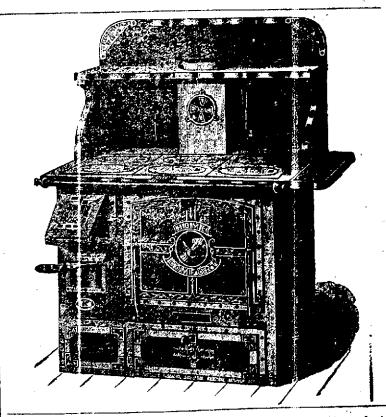
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The gentlemen of the Decatur Club favor. It is a wonderfully entertaining

veek, with a progressive whist party. the north 20 acres of the east half of 9,

tract of land in 83, 1J, 4 east. Consideration not stated.

16, 3 east, \$265.

Wm. H. Long to Annie Peterson, quit-

land's message was given to the public, the Chicago Tribune and some of the patronage. You cannot afford to miss Decatur papers have been abusing "mo-

noplies," "trust companies" and "consolidations." I have been 30 years in Decatur selling lime, hair, plaster and cement of various kinds. I wish to give you a few facts in regard to the benefits of consolidations, for instance. In former years there were six firms burning lime in Delphi. Each firm had a traveling salesman employed at an average cost of \$5 per day. Often lime was burned in adtown of 50 people outside of hotels; yet this is

Mrs. E. H. Jeffries left for Winona, Mrs. C. B. Smith arrived from Champaign to-day to visit her busband, Judge Smith, at the St. Nicholas. vance of the demand, and in hot weather was soon unfit for market. In that way

REPUBLICAN to this place. Yours.

EDWIN PHILBROOK very little good lime went out to custom-Asron Kaufman is at Champaign in charge of the Ottenheimer branch of the Decatur store. H. M. Moore, clerk in the office of Regfresh lime whenever it is needed, at oneistrar Burst, Chicago, is in the city on a third less in price and greater profit to the manufacturer. The retail price here Miss Mollie Niles, of Champaign, is in the city, called here by the illness of her grandmother, Mrs. N. A. White. is one-third less than formerly. The same is true in regard to the Louisville cement manufactory. There were nine Robert Oglesby, of the governor's office, spent Sunday in Decatur, and returned to Springfield yesterday. firms engaged in the manufacture of cement. Each had its traveling salesman Mrs. N. A. White is seriously ill. Her daughter, Mrs. E. P. Niles, of Champaign, is at the bedside of her mother. About sixteen years ago the different Supt. Stevens, of the Wabash, is in the city. He was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Abbott at the St. Nicholas

firms consolidated, which reduced expenses. The company is now selling cement at one-half the former price, and I am retailing it here at less than onehalf the former price. The Huntington lime burners, about eight years ago, formed a consolidation and since then have made better lime, sold it at less price, and their profits have increased. I

the Decatur editors advise the farmers to take the Chicago Tribune for six months so as to learn something about the tariff question. If Cleveland and the editor

Don't forget that R. E. Roland & Bro have just opened the finest two chair of the Tribune could both make the May.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hoge barber shop in the city under Hotel acquaintance of the prosperous farmers and mechanics of Macon county, they Carriers and Ward. Pares, new stock for Spring eximing in avery day, at Abel's. might yet learn a little common sense.

D. Marente and Macon county, the might yet learn a little common sense.

WE MADE A CLEAN SWEEP Of Holiday Goods ___AT__

+THE WHITE FRONT.+

And as we did not MARK UP BE-FORE THE HOLIDAYS we do not have to MARK DOWN after.

For a Good Square Deal, go to

JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT.

Post Office Block.

During January we will offer BIG BARGAINS in all our Heavy Overcoats.



Fine Overcoats at very Low Prices, for Men, but a small percentage of the crop. Europe needs about 25,000,000 bushels a week, or 1,300,000,000 bushels a Boys and Children.

Not wanting to carry over an overcoat we have KNOCKED DOWN the Prices to such Low Figures that it will save you Big Money to BUY NOW.

Big Inducements in Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, at Low January Prices, to Reduce Stock.

BIG BARGAINS offered in New and Stylish Perfect Fitting Suits. Low Prices is what human head upon a bird-like body, we can show you.

Underwear, Woolen Hosiery, Gloves, Caps, the head is cast something resembling an amirc, placed in such a manner as

&c., at Greatly Reduced Prices.

CALL AND SEE.

135 East Main Street, Decatur. One Price Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers.

Store open until 9 p.m.

Telephone 182

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Elight Joe Dandy Lots; Best Residence Lots in the City, AT YOUR OWN PRICE---On a Credit of 10 Years.

Interest Only 7 Per Cent. Benefit of PAVED STREET, STREET CARS, Banker "Hm" Millikin's and Hog Ringer Hill's Elegant Lawns.

We are authorized to sell AT AUCTION on

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1888,

At 2 p. m., on the premises, without limit or reserve, the block of ground located at the corner of West Main and Pine streets, now occupied by A. Wait as a residence. It will be subdivided into 8 lots, four fronting on West Wood street and four on West Main street, with a frentage of 50 feet each.

If you want the best residence lots in the city wait must be wait March 22, and make your own price and terms.

Parties purchasing can make terms of payment to suit

Parties purchasing can make terms of payment to suit themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions pointed agent for the Pierce Well Augur themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions pointed agent for the Pierce Well Augur themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions pointed agent for the Pierce Well Augur themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions the pointed agent for the Pierce Well Augur themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions the pointed agent for the Pierce Well Augur themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions the pointed agent for the Pierce Well Augur themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions the pierce well augur the pier that they improve this season. 10 per cent. of the purchase money will be required to be paid on day of sale, ame to be returned when improvements are made. hose who purchase not intending to improve this season, oper cent. on day of sale and 15 per cent. in 30 days. House of 8 rooms, in good condition, on one of the West Main street lots,

by getting special order from us. JESSE LEFORGEE & SONS.+

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

-Natives near Asheville, N. C., get \$1.75 a pound for ginseng root, which they dig in the woods, for exportation

- Who is this man Call Loan?" infirst melted and run into two-pound quired an intelligent juror in the Harbars. These in turn are run through immense rollers and flattened out to the per bank case at Cincinnati, after he had heard the phrase repeated several thickness of the coin. These silver strips are then passed through a machine which cuts them into proper size

-A freight-car labeled "powder" for the presses, the strips first having standing at Phillipsburg, Pa., for two days, created much uncasiness. When opened it was found to contain apples, and the barrels were all full.

-As an evidence of the progress made by the negroes in the South since the war, it is shown by late statistics that in three States-Georgia, South Carolina and Louisiana-they pay taxes on forty-eight million dollars worth of property.

-For many years one of the landmarks in Oglethorpe County, Ga., was the "Old Treaty Oak," under which the first settlers made the treaty with the Cherokee Indians for all the land in that part of the State. The tree has recently died of girdling.

-The trustees of the East river bridge have been offered twenty-five thousand dollars a year by a business man for the privilege of making the bridge a bill-board for his advertising placards. It is to be hoped that such hideous disfigurement will not be

-In Oglethorpe, Ga., there is growing a potato which has inscribed upon one side of it the letter "B" as perfect as if it had been made by hand, but this grew this way and the hand of nature did the work. And to make the potato a more wonderful thing, the letter thereon was the initial of the gentleman who raised it.

-When the conductor of a Louisville street car asked John Duvall, a passenger, for his fare the other evening, ohn jumped up, flapped his hands about as if they were wings and shout-od: "Get thee behind me, Satan. I am an angel, and angels pay no fare."
But the conductor was hard-hearted and east John forth into the outer

-Henry Benson, of Hayden Hill, Cal., has a petrified salmon, which he found on a hillside lift: A hundred feet high. The fleshy part resembles crystallized and variegated quartz, retaining in part the yellowish color of the salmon, and what was the skin of the fish is now a sort of porcelain, or white ilint. It is supposed to be a relic of some ancient river.

-A party of hunters from Henderson, Ky., recently shot a strange little animal, which has excited the wonderment of the villagers. It is a twolegged creature, about a foot long. with a sharp nose like a weasel's and glossy fur like that of a mink. Its fur is black, with a broad stripe of pure white running down the back, and it has a large, bushy tail.

Go to The Spencer & Lehman Co. for Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps and Iron Force Pumps. Nov 9-d&wtf -The 60,000,000 people in the United It is not an experiment, not an advertisement, but a fact, namely: that coffee superiar to our Windsor Mocha or Java is neither grown, imported nor drank.

jaul3-dti Diregs & Choyo. States consume weekly about 6,600,000 bushels of wheat, thus using up all year. The European yield in 1887 was about 1,200,000,000, so that there will be about 100,000,000 bushels to be supplied by other countries.

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-There is on exhibition in a Pittswas dug up by a farmer who was plowing near Montgomery, Ala. It has a with a fantail, and is carved in stone. The face is purely Egyptian, and across to leave the entire forehead revealed. The figure is 121 inches long and 92 inches high, and weighs 21 pounds.

-A new occupation recommended for semi-invalids by a Philadelphia writer is the making of artificial flies for fishing purposes. The tools required are a small pair of sharp scisdured the shart of spring plyers, a long pin, and a small piece of cobbler's wax. The materials are breast and tail feathers of fowls and game, with silver and gold tinsels, a little fine sewing siik of all colors, some Berlin wool, stained gut, and hooks of vari-

-Jack McCloy, the noted Niagara Falls guide, accomplished another of his daving feats recently by removing an advertising sign on one of the small islands above the falls which the reservation commission has long wanted removed. McCloy crept through the water that was rushing along at a twenty-five mile rate with the aid of a spike and rope to the island. It is stated that Jack will be presented with a medal for saving the lives of several persons by the Government.

-The introduction of the incandescent electric lamp has offered the means of providing the diver with a better illumination for his work under water without adding any great additional complication to his dress. By means of a small lantern screwed to the upper sight-hole of the helmet a fifty-candle incandescent lamp can be carried in any way, which leaves the hands of the diver perfectly free and at the same time insures that the rays of light shall always follow the direction of his glances and fall upon his work. A powerful reflector concentrates the beam. - Public Orinion.

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HOW DIMES ARE MADE. Work of the Money Presses in Uncle Sam's Mind at San Francisco. The process of dime making is an

been treated with a kind of tallow to

prevent their being scratched in their

passage through the cutters. The silver

pieces are then put into the feeder of the

printing presses and are fed to the die

y automatic machinery at the rate of one hundred per minute, 48,000 dimes

being turned out in a regular working

day of eight hours. As the smooth

pieces are being pressed between the

ponderous printing dies, they receive the lettered and figured impression in a manner simular to that of a paper

pressed upon a form of type; at the same time the piece is expanded in a slight

degree, and the small corrugations are

cut into its rim. The machine drops

the completed coin into a receiver, and it is ready for the counter's hands. The

instrument used by the counter is not a complicated machine, by any means,

as one might suppose. It is a simple copper-colored tray, having raised

ridges running across its surface at a

distance upart the exact width of a dime. From the receiver the money i dumped on to this board or tray, and

as it is shaken rapidly by the counter,

the pieces settle down into the spaces

between the ridges. All these spaces being filled, the surplus coin is brushed back into the receiver and the counter

has exactly 1,250 silver dimes, or \$125,

on his tray, which number is required to fill the spaces. The tray is then

emptied into boxes, and the money is ready for shipment. The dime does

not pass through the weigher's hands

as does the coin of larger denomina-

tion. One and one-half grains is

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Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Cohen & Gumbinsky has been dissolved by mutual consent, Jacob Gumbinsky retiring. All accounts owing the late firm will be collected by M. J. Cohen, who will also pay all debts owed by the firm and will continue the business at the same place.

January 21, 1888.

M. J. COHEN.

Administrator's Notice.

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Estate of Martha Smith, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Martha Smith, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Count of Macon county at the count house in Decatur, at the Murch term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons, indebted to said estate are requested to the county of the purpose of the pur

Concested to manufactured the fact of January, 1888.

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Fifty Dozen Ladies, All Wool Hose, regular 35c goods, Fifty Ladies' Cloaks, handsomely trimmed and tailor Bankrupt sale price, 18c per pair.

Forty Dozen Misses' and Children's All-Wool Hose, regular 25 and 30c goods; sale price, 15c per pair. Twelve Hundred Papers Adamantine Pins, sold every-

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Dated this 18th day of January, 1888.

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